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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I chose Sonic.net as my internet provider because of its competitive pricing, excellent customer service, and last but not least, commitment to net neutrality. I fully support Sonic.net and similar local internet provider's reliance on unbundled copper and inter-city fiber transport elements (UNEs) to compete in the residential marketplace. I use the Internet every day to run my dispute resolution business and keep connected with the world. The telephone number that comes with the service is my business phone number. Taking away UNEs will cause significant disruption of the services I rely on to support me and my family. I urge you not to dismantle key components of the 1996 Telecommunications Act and keep the Internet fast, competitive, and affordable.

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